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# **ABBREVIATIONS**

 $1^{st}$ 

First (and other numerical sequences)

&

and

add'l

additional

A.G.

Attorney General

assn./assns.

association/associations

Ave.

Avenue

BESE

Board of Elementary & Secondary

Education

BIDCO

Business & Industrial Development Company

B.R.

Baton Rouge

bldg.

building

CDBG

Community Development Block Grant

CMS

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

co./cos.

company/companies

**CODOFIL** 

Council for the Development of French in La.

**COLA** 

Cost of Living Adjustment

Comm.

Commission

corp.

corporation

**CPA** 

Certified Public Accountant

D.A.

District Attorney

dept./depts.

department/departments

DEO

Department of Environmental Quality

dev.

development

dist.

district

div.

division

DHH

Department of Health & Hospitals

DOA

Division of Administration

DO

Department of Insurance

DOR

Department of Revenue

DOTD

Department of Transportation &

Development

DPS&C

Department of Public Safety &

Corrections

DROP

Deferred Retirement Option Plan

**DWF** 

Department of Wildlife & Fisheries

nwi

Driving While Intoxicated

E-mail

electronic mail

**EBR** 

East Baton Rouge (Parish)

**EMS** 

**Emergency Medical Services** 

E.S.

Extraordinary Session

exam

examination

f/

from

**FEMA** 

Federal Emergency Management Agency

**FINS** 

Families in Need of Services

FΥ

Fiscal Year

**GASB** 

General Accounting Standards Board

**GOHSEP** 

Governor's Office of Home land Security & Emergency Preparedness

gov./Gov.

governor (generic reference) Governor (with proper name)

govt.

government

gpa

grade point average

H&GA

House & Governmental Affairs

нмо

Health Maintenance Organization

hwy./hwys.

highway/highways

**ICF** 

ICF International

ID

identification

info

in formation

Inst.

Institute

**JDC** 

Judicial District Court

**JLCB** 

Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget

**KETRA** 

Katrina Emergency Tax Relief Act

La.

Louisiana

LaCHIP

La. Children's Health Insurance Program

**LASERS** 

La. State Employees Retirement System

**LCTCS** 

La. Community & Technical College System

LEAP

La. Educational Assessment Program

**LHFA** 

La. Housing Finance Agency

LLC

Limited Liability Corporation/Company

LRA

La. Recovery Authority

LSU

La. State University

LSU HSC

La. State University Health Sciences Centers (includes New Orleans and Shreveport)

LSU HSC-NO

La. State University Health Sciences Center at New Orleans

LSU HSC-S

La. State University Health Sciences Center at Shreveport

LTC

La. Technical College

MCL-NO

Medical Center of La. - New Orleans

**MERS** 

Municipal Employees' Retirement System

mfg.

manufacturing

mfr.

manufacturer

mgr.

manager

mgt.

management

MPERS

Municipal Police Employees' Retirement

System

MRGO

Mississippi River Gulf Outlet

**NAIS** 

National Animal Identification System

nat'l

national

NFL

National Football Association

N.O.

New Orleans

NOAA

National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration

#

number

ocs

Outer Continental Shelf

OFI

Office of Financial Institutions

OGB

Office of Group Benefits

OMV

Office of Motor Vehicles

org.

organization

**%** 

percent

PL

Public Law (federal legislation)

pop'n

population

**PPO** 

Preferred Provider Organization

pro

professional

Prog.

program

**PSC** 

**Public Service Commission** 

R.S.

Revised Statutes/Regular Session

regs.

regulations

rehab

rehabilitation

Rep.

Representative

Rev.

Reverend

RFP

Request for Proposal

 $\mathbf{R}\mathbf{x}$ 

prescription

Sec'y

Secretary

Sen.

Senator

spec.

special

**SREB** 

Southern Regional Education Board

SSI

Supplemental Security Income

St.

Saint/ Street

TIMED

Transportation Infrastructure for Economic Development

TOPS

**Tuition Opportunity Program** 

TRSL

Teachers' Retirement System of La.

Univ.

University

UNO

University of New Orleans

US

United States

 $\mathbf{w}/$ 

with

(without a space with 1 word - "w/in" with a space with 2 words - "w/\_ID")

W&F

Wildlife and Fisheries (Commission)

WMA

Wildlife Management Area

yr./yrs.

year/years

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